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The Advertiser will be glad to receive the local news of all the communities in the county. Correspondents are requested to sign their names to the contributions. Letters should not be mailed later than Monday morning.

It is about time to commence thinking about plans for the county fair.

With the drought broken the prospects seem brighter for another year of good crops.

The Newberry Herald and News is "constrained" to believe that the governor was wrong in criticising a private citizen while making a political speech at Whitmire. Why only constrained.

Mr. McLaurin denies that he has withdrawn from the race for governor, yet virtually admits that he is no longer a real contender in the race by attempting to point out an imaginary strength of John G. Richards. It is unkind of him to say the least, for one candidate to align warring elements to support an opposing candidate, as Mr. McLaurin claims to have done in the case of Tillman and Bease. In his happiness over his imaginary achievement, Mr. McLaurin forgot to be consistent and thereby wrote himself out of the race. If we may judge from Senator Tillman's comment, Mr. McLaurin made a hash out of the whole business.

At this time in 1912 candidates from coroner to governor were already warned up and each day saw a new sensation spring. Let us hope that this year's campaign will be different all the way through until the election is over.

According to The Greenville Daily Piedmont of yesterday evening, the executive board of trustees of Chisora college have decided on a site on Augusta street in that city to which the college shall be moved. The Piedmont states that it learns this on good authority. Property owners near the site are to supply funds for the purchase of the property. We are sure that if The Piedmont is certain as to its information and that the site is a desirable one the matter may be considered as settled. Those who have agitated the question of removal have been prompted all along by a feeling that the college was greatly handicapped in its growth by the lack of room as well as lack of funds and now if Greenville is about to bestir itself to do the generous thing there will be no room for complaint. If the college remains at Greenville certainly it has the best wishes of Laurens.

THIS KIDNEY REMEDY A GREAT HEALER

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

For a number of years I was troubled with my kidneys, condition so serious that part of the time I was unable to work. Tried several remedies, also different physicians without relief. A sample of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root was left at my house. I commenced to take it and continued it until I had taken several bottles and am now cured. Am sixty-two years of age and able to work every day. I attribute my cure to the use of your Swamp-Root.

My wife also was cured by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. Symptoms were very serious, including hemorrhages, great pain and distress. I commenced giving her Swamp-Root and it was just as healing in her case. We can heartily recommend your Swamp-Root to all kidney sufferers.

Very truly yours, H. C. GRIFFITH, Mexia, Texas. Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, this 8th day of April, 1912. T. Bennett, Notary Public.

Card of Thanks. Through the Advertiser we wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness during the long illness and death of our mother. Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Latimer, Laurens, June 8th.

WHAT ABOUT IT.

Writer Says Negroes Already Have Compulsory Education Law.

Editor The Laurens Advertiser:

A negro school teacher in South Carolina recently said that the white people of South Carolina passed a law in 1895 compelling the negroes to attend school when the constitutional convention required that a negro be able to read and write or that he hold property before he could vote. He smiled and said that since that time the negro children could not be kept from going to school, and that the negro schools were always crowded, but now the white people would be forced to pass a compulsory education law to give the white children the education they would need to compete with the negro.

So we have in South Carolina a compulsory law already for the negroes. Here is what Hon. James D. Sullivan, chief of compulsory attendance division of the State of New York, replies from Albany under date of May 28th, 1914, as to the effect of the compulsory attendance law in that state and what the people think of it:

"Mr. E. H. Blake, Greenwood, S. C. Dear Sir:

Your letter of inquiry under date of May 25 received, and I beg leave to answer your question in the order submitted.

1. "Do you believe education has made greater progress in your state under a compulsory education law than before such a law was passed?"

No other single school statute has done so much for the cause of education in this state as the Compulsory Education Law now in operation here. Thousands of children who have been in attendance upon lawful instruction annually since the law went into effect would have been growing up without a chance for education augmenting the ranks of illiteracy and swelling the ranks of our criminal population. Were it not for the Compulsory Education statute, but very few children in this great state physically and mentally competent are found out of school while the schools are in session.

2. "Are the people trying to get it repealed?" They certainly are not. Every single newspaper and magazine in this state is a staunch advocate of a rigid enforcement of this law and all our people in all the various walks of life have come to believe thoroughly in this statute. The Compulsory Education Law has come to stay, and it will yet do for our people what a similar statute has done for the people in Germany during the last 70 years. Illiteracy in the German Empire is almost a vanishing point, as a result of a vigorous enforcement of attendance laws in that country.

"Every state in the Union now has a workable compulsory education law except the following: Oklahoma, Texas, Mississippi, and South Carolina. "In no state where a compulsory education law has been enacted in my opinion will it ever be repealed, and in every state having such a law, year by year it is being made more mandatory, specific, comprehensive and workable."

Mr. Editor, what are the white people of South Carolina going to do about it?

Yours very truly, E. H. Blake, Greenwood, June 2, 1914.

USE OF CALOMEL IS RAPIDLY FALLING OFF

Fewer People Risking Dangerous Drug—Thousands Taking Dodson's Liver Tonic Instead.

The use of calomel, which is a poison and a form of mercury, seems to be decidedly diminishing nowadays. Dodson's Liver Tonic takes its place so reliably in cases of constipation and liver trouble that its popularity is spreading more widely all the time. Dodson's Liver Tonic is a harmless vegetable-liquid. What calomel does unpleasantly—often with danger—for constipation and sluggish liver, Dodson's Liver Tonic does for you safely and pleasantly, with no pain and no gripe. It does not interfere in any way with your regular business, habits or diet.

So successful, so reliable and so popular, a remedy has its imitators, naturally. But beware of them. You can easily detect the difference.

Dodson never makes extravagant statements. His Liver Tonic has been made from the first to take the place of calomel. He says that it "lives the liver," overcomes constipation agreeably and makes you feel good. If you are not satisfied completely with Dodson's Liver Tonic the Laurens Drug Co. will hand back the purchase price (50c) to you cheerfully, instantly and without question. Hence you run no risks to health or pocket-book in giving it a trial.

Sale or Trade—Pit games, 75 c. each from broiler to babies. Ten hens and one rooster. Will trade for White Orpington, Barred Rock or White Wyandotts. Frank Caine, Laurens, S. C. 46-1t

Some swell views of Laurens, 5 for 5c. Hayes 5 and 10c Store.

INTERESTING RALLY HELD SATURDAY

Tomato Club Girls and Others Listen to Instructive Addresses on Various Topics of Interest.

The rally held Saturday in the interest of the Laurens County Tomato club attracted quite a number of the club members, besides a considerable number of farmers and others interested in better-farming methods. Supt. of Education J. H. Sullivan presided over the meeting. The first thing on the program after the invocation was the reading of a paper by Miss Margaret Dunlap, one of last year's prize winning club members and a member of this year's club. Her paper was a very interesting treatment of the value of tomato club work.

Miss Janey C. Garlington at the head of tomato club work in this county, had provided an attractive program for the day. Prof. C. C. Newman, Miss Edith Parrott, W. W. Long and Mr. Elliott having been secured to make addresses. All of these speakers dwelt at length on the importance of using advanced methods in farming but gave particular attention to the work of the tomato clubs. Prof. Niven, of Clemson college, was present and, with the assistance of Mrs. Willmon, of Greenville, and Miss Holloway, of Newberry, gave a demonstration in tomato canning. This was a very interesting feature of the meeting, especially to the members of the tomato club, who learned a number of valuable lessons from the demonstration.

The Laurens County Tomato club has a membership of sixty girls. They are very enthusiastic over their work, largely as a result of the enthusiasm imparted by Miss Garlington, their leader. Although the weather has been very dry, the girls have been fairly successful with their tomatoes so far.

NEWS FROM YOUNGS.

Youngs, June 9.—We had a nice shower of rain last Friday.

There was a lawn party at Mr. W. O. Sutton's Saturday night. Besides the young people of this community there were several from Enoree and Lanford.

Miss Arizona Bobo who has been at Enoree for a while visited home folks last week. She was accompanied by Miss Leta May Dillard.

Mr. Terry Manly who attended Clemson college this year was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Joe Prior of Clinton and Mr. Jasper Prior of Enoree visited here last night.

Mr. Riley Hammond of Cross Anchor was in the community Saturday.

Rev. W. B. Justus of Enoree, filled his regular appointment at Bramlett's church Sunday morning. There was a large audience present.

It has been decided to have Children's Day first Sunday in July. We are hoping to have a nice time.

Mr. Editor must come up that day.

Mrs. Alexander Abercrombie visited her sister, Mrs. J. B. Williams at Lanford one day last week. Mrs. Williams was hooked by a cow and injured about the head. She is reported to be doing very well at present.

There seems to be an abundant blackberry crop here this year. Notwithstanding the dry weather we had plus earlier than previous seasons. The writer cannot her first berries the 7th of June this year.

Gardens are suffering very much for want of rain. Upland pastures are almost dried up.

Thrown from Buggy.

A mule being driven by Mr. Sid Crews ran away on West Main street Friday throwing out Mr. Crews and Mr. J. S. Bennett, who was riding with him. The mule became frightened at a Shetland pony in front of Mr. D. H. Counts' house and made a wild dash down the street. Mr. Crews suffered an injury to his arm, while Mr. Bennett was very severely cut around the head and face. The latter was confined to his home for several days but was at his place of business yesterday.

Cures Stubborn, Itchy Skin Troubles. "I could scratch myself to pieces," is often heard from sufferers of Eczema, tetter, itch and similar skin eruptions. Don't scratch—stop the itching at once with Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Its first application starts healing; the red, rough, scaly, itching skin is soothed by the healing and cooling medicines. Mrs. C. A. Einfeldt, Rock Island, Ill., after using Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment, writes: "That is the first time in nine years I have been free from the dreadful ailment." Guaranteed, 50c at your druggist.

Barbecue at Waterloo.

There will be a barbecue at Waterloo Saturday, July 11, to which all candidates in the county and the public generally are especially invited. A good dinner is guaranteed, given by G. W. Long.—Adv.

MEETING OF W. M. U.

The second division of the W. M. U. will meet with the New Prospect Baptist church the third Saturday in June. A full attendance of churches comprising the division is expected and members are urged to attend.

Program.

10:20—Devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. M. L. Lawson.

10:45—Address of Welcome, Mrs. Laura Hudgens.

Response—Mrs. Mary A. Brksdale.

Roll call of societies. Response by delegates with appropriate Scripture verses on Foreign Missions.

First Query—What I have done for our quarterly and what our quarterly has done for me. Opened by Mrs. Clara Watts, to be followed by the delegates from the digerent societies.

Address—Mrs. A. B. Langston.

Appointment of committees.

Social hour.

Devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Dr. Beason. Alternate, Mrs. Eula Roper.

Exercises by Alva Langston Sunbeam Society.

Address—Dr. A. B. Langston.

Miscellaneous.

Cleo Wofford, President.

Coughs and Colds Weaken the System.

Continued coughs, colds and bronchial troubles are depressing and weaken the system. Loss of weight and appetite generally follow. Get a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery today. It will stop your cough. The first dose helps. The best medicine for stubborn coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Mr. O. H. Brown, Muscatine, Ala., writes: "My wife was sick during the hot summer months and I honestly believe Dr. King's New Discovery saved her life." Good for children, 50c and \$1.00 at your druggist.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Lost—Pig, one month old, blaze face and white feet. If found please notify me and I will pay for feed, etc. Dave Sullivan, Laurens, S. C., Route 6. 46-2t-pd

Mare For Sale—Standard bred mare, five years old, weight 1,000 pounds, registration papers delivered with mare. Apply to E. W. Martin, at Martin's Stable. 46-5t

Wanted—To buy for client, farm land in large tracts in Laurens county. State acreage, location and price. Traxler Real Estate Co. 46-1t

Wanted—To buy a few Jersey heifers. State age, weight and price. Address T. D. Darlington, Laurens, S. C. 46-2t

Notice—Fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind forbidden on the lands of the following: W. E. Martin, C. P. Holcomb, A. J. Martin, Mrs. Jane Curry, L. M. Higgins, Mrs. F. B. Martin, S. D. Martin, L. Hill, Mat Henderson, Allen Bobo, or abide by consequences. 46-1t-pd

For Sale—The old school building at Mountville, and about 11-2 acres of land. For further information apply to Board of Trustees. 44-5t

For Rent—Fully equipped blacksmith and general repair shop, or would hire right man. S. N. Crisp, Mountville, S. C. 43-1t

For Rent—One 8-room house two stories high on Chestnut street. Water, lights and all modern conveniences. Apply to W. L. Gray, Laurens, S. C. 43-5t

Notice to machinery owners. Have your machinery repaired by an expert machinist. Delays are dangerous and expensive. Prices moderate and work guaranteed. Cotton gins a specialty. Address E. O. Hentz, Clinton, S. C. 42-5t-pd

Lost—Between Owings & Owings and Sexton Boarding house, small folding tan leather purse containing one Ten Dollar bill and four or five One Dollar bills. Also check endorsed "J. E. Oglesby". Reward if returned to Leverett Furniture Co. 46-1t

For Sale—Choiceest pea-vine hay, corn and fodder, at prevailing prices. Write or apply to Watts Mills Office. 32-tf



We Don't Wish You Any Ill Luck

but if you do have a runaway and your carriage gets smashed up remember that we can do all kinds of carriage repairing and can fix up any damage. Our customers will tell you we do such work promptly, thoroughly and reasonably.

J. D. SEXTON & SON LAURENS, S. C.

War Style Comes Back.

Billie Bell of Jacks township went to war when he was a slip of a lad. His mother had made a suit of jeans for him, the coat of which had very long tails. When he got to camp in Virginia the other boys, who had become somewhat used to the "roundabout" taught him a great deal about his long-tailed coat, till finally he silenced them by saying to them, "if the girls had swung on to your coat-tails trying to keep you at home as they did to mine, yours would have been long too." It is a natural inference, and is here given simply as a fashion item, that there will be some long coat-tails at the close of the political campaign.—Newberry Observer.

IT'S GREAT FOR BALKY BOWELS AND STOMACH

We want all people who have chronic stomach trouble or constipation, no matter how long standing, to try one dose of May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy—one dose will convince you. This is the medicine so many of our local people have been taking with surprising results. The most thorough system cleanser we ever sold. May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is now sold here by Laurens Drug Co.

Local views of Laurens, 5 for 5c. Hayes 5 and 10c Store.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

County Commissioner. I hereby offer myself as a candidate for the office of county commissioner of Laurens county, subject to the rules of the democratic party. J. B. HITT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner for Laurens County, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. D. A. MADDEN.

House of Representatives.

R. D. Boyd is hereby announced a candidate for the House of Representatives from Laurens county, subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary.

"VOTER".

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary. H. S. BLACKWELL.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the house of representatives from Laurens county and promise to abide by the results of the Democratic primary. W. R. RICHIEY, SR.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the House of Representatives, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. D. L. BOOZER.

Supervisor.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor of Laurens county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. H. B. HUMBERT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of supervisor of Laurens county and promise to abide by the rules of the democratic party. B. R. TODD.

Superintendent of Education.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Superintendent of Education and promise to abide the rules of the Democratic primary. JAMES H. SULLIVAN.

Auditor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Auditor of Laurens county, subject to the rules of the approaching Democratic primary election. J. WADDY THOMPSON.

Probate Judge.

We are authorized to announce O. G. Thompson as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge, subject to the rules of the democratic primary.

Magistrate.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for magistrate for Laurens township, subject to the rules of the democratic primary. R. P. TRAYNHAM.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for magistrate for Laurens township, subject to the rules of the democratic party. J. N. WRIGHT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of magistrate for Laurens township, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. T. M. Workman.

IF SKIN BREAKS OUT AND ITCHES APPLY SULPHUR

Use it like a cold cream and dry Eczema eruptions right up.

The moment you apply bold-sulphur to an itching or broken out skin, the itching stops and healing begins, says a renowned dermatologist.

This remarkable sulphur made into a thick cream effects such prompt relief, even in aggravated Eczema, that it is a never-ending source of amazement to physicians.

For many years bold-sulphur has occupied a secure position in the treatment of cutaneous eruptions by reason of its cooling, parasite-destroying properties and nothing has ever been found to take its place in relieving irritable and inflammatory affections of the skin. While not always establishing a permanent cure, yet, in every instance, it immediately subdues the itching irritation and heals the Eczema right up and it is often years later before any eruption again manifests itself.

Any good pharmacist will supply an ounce of bold-sulphur cream, which should be applied to the affected parts like the ordinary cold cream. It isn't unpleasant and the prompt relief afforded is very welcome, particularly when the Eczema is accompanied with torturous itching.

New Roofing Material. A new roofing material is steel coated with lead.

NOTICE!

A meeting of all those citizens who return Real or Personal Property by the school district of the town of Laurens, S. C., is hereby called to meet in the Court House, Wednesday, June 10th, 1914, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of levying a tax for the maintenance of the Graded Schools for the session of 1914 and 1915 in said district.

By order of Board of Trustees. O. B. SIMMONS, Chairman. C. H. ROPER, Secretary.

OUR SHIELD YOUR SIGHT Is too important and valuable a sense to take chances on—so get quality work by using our services. OPTOMETRY That is a standard for quality—that means the best of glasses—when needed—the correct gauging of the eye-trouble and perfect fitting, comfortable gausses. Get an examination now! William Solomon Expert Watchmaker Jeweler & Optician Laurens, S. C.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 10th day of July, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administrator of the estate of J. Y. Mathews, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trust as Administrator.

Any persons indebted to said estate are notified and required to make payment on that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven, or be forever barred. Benton H. Mathews, Administrator. June 6, 1914.—1 mo.

"THE HEATED TERM"

is sometimes likely to include the great big D—when a fellow gets it too hot, or the insects "make it hot for him." All who take in the country for their vacations should be supplied with antidotes for sun-burns and mosquito bites. We have a goodly list of these antidotes, and "first aids" to summer sufferers. Before you go away come in and get a supply. You may want to take some internal remedies with you also, and all are here, at reasonable prices. We have the Palmetto Drug Co's. prescriptions.



POWE DRUG COMPANY ON THE SQUARE LAURENS, S. C.